

SENATE BILL 2039

By McNally

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 2,
Chapter 10 and Title 2, Chapter 19, relative to
elections.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 2, Chapter 10, Part 1, is amended by
adding the following as a new section thereto:

2-10-131.

Any candidate, political campaign committee or political party that discovers a
contribution to such candidate, political campaign committee or political party was made
from funds illegally obtained by the contributor shall refund such contribution to the
rightful owner.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 2, Chapter 19, Part 1, is amended by
adding the following as a new section thereto:

2-19-145.

(a) It is an offense for a person to request that a candidate for public office pay a
fee in order for that person to endorse the candidate.

(b) A violation of this section is a Class B misdemeanor.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2007, the public welfare requiring it.